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RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

Responsive to the Official Action dated April 19, 2005, please reconsider the claims in view of the arguments presented hereinafter. A notice of appeal accompanies this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.